



**CITY COUNCIL
ATLANTA, GEORGIA**

**A Resolution
By Councilmember Anne Fauver**

03-R-0377

**A RESOLUTION URGING GEORGIA POWER COMPANY TO
COMMUNICATE WITH THE RESIDENTS OF A NEIGHBORHOOD
ABOUT INSTALLATION OF ANY POWER FACILITY IT SEEKS TO
LOCATE WITHIN THAT NEIGHBORHOOD AND FOR OTHER
PURPOSES;**

WHEREAS, residents of the Morningside neighborhood, which is located in Neighborhood Planning Unit F, recently discovered that Georgia Power Company has contracted to purchase a residence on Lenox Road with the intention to build a power substation on the property; and

WHEREAS, Georgia Power Company gave no public notice of its intention and made no effort to contact or coordinate with the neighborhood or give any explanation of its plan to the residents; and

WHEREAS, the area is zone for single-family residences and is a stable and respectable neighborhood, and the homeowners are rightly concerned about what kind of facility Georgia Power Company intends to erect in their neighborhood; and

WHEREAS, this same situation is being repeated in many neighborhoods throughout the City of Atlanta where Georgia Power Company is using its power of eminent domain to take property for use in building substations, install power transmission lines and other electrical installations for the provision of electrical power to residents of Atlanta; and

WHEREAS, the immediate neighborhood in which Georgia Power Company intends to locate its installation needs full disclosure of Georgia Power's plans, and the surrounding neighborhoods need information about the location of the planned installation and its ability to provide/transmit power to the surrounding area as well as the power needs of the surrounding area; and

WHEREAS, the City of Atlanta has established a means for all individuals seeking to develop properties in any given area to communicate the plans to the residents of the immediate and surrounding area in the form of the Neighborhood Planning Units; and

WHEREAS, common courtesy and good customer public relations would command Georgia Power Company to work with the neighbors to ensure that their quality of life and property values will not be adversely affected by any non-residential construction.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Mayor of the City of Atlanta and the City Council urge Georgia Power Company to communicate with and coordinate with the citizens of any neighborhood in which Georgia Power Company intends to install any



power transmission facilities by providing information to the Neighborhood Planning Unit in the area for information purposes and to any appropriate civic association for the area.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Mayor and the City Council direct Georgia Power Company to provide complete information regarding its plans for the substation in Morningside to Neighborhood Planning Unit F in sufficient time for it to be advertised on its agenda for information purposes only.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Mayor and the City Council urge Georgia Power Company to communicate with and coordinate with the citizens of the Morningside neighborhood concerning any construction in their community and to take no action that would affect the quality of life or property values in the area.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Municipal Clerk of the City of Atlanta is authorized and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Georgia Power Company.

A true copy,

Rhonda Daughin Johnson
Municipal Clerk, CMC

ADOPTED by the Council

RETURNED WITHOUT SIGNATURE OF THE MAYOR

APPROVED as per City Charter Section 2-403

MAR 03, 2003

MAR 12, 2003

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3/03/03
5:20 PM

Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

03-R-0377 GA Power to Communicate with Community
 Re. Installation of Power Substations
 ADOPT

YEAS: 13
NAYS: 0
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 3
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 0

Y Smith	Y Archibong	NV Moore	Y Mitchell
Y Starnes	Y Fauver	Y Martin	Y Norwood
Y Young	Y Shook	Y Maddox	Y Willis
Y Winslow	NV Muller	Y Boazman	NV Woolard

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ADOPTED BY

MAR 03 2003

COUNCIL

*Adopted
3/3/03
by Council*

- ☐ CONSENT REFER
- ☐ REGULAR REPORT REFER
- ☐ ADVERTISE & REFER
- ☐ 1st ADOPT 2nd READ & REFER
- ☐ PERSONAL PAPER REFER

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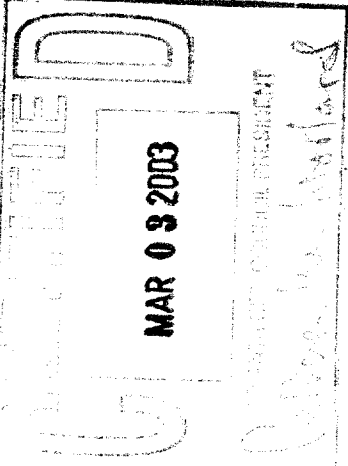
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Readings

☐ Consent ☐ V Vote ☒ RC Vote

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Robert D. Johnson
MUNICIPAL CLERK

MAYOR'S ACTION

